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A considerable shock of an Earthquake was felt in this town, on Thursday morning last, about 50 minutes past 8 o'clock. The shaking continued about one minute and a half, causing doors to fly open, and things that hang in a pendulous position to shake violently. Several of the citizens were somewhat alarmed, and 6 or 7 persons were shocked or stunned so as to produce sensation something like fainting. We have not heard what effects this shock has produced in other places, but from what was felt here, we expect to hear of concussions as dreadful as those experienced at various places on the 16th of December last.